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1. A letter written by the "Directorate General, Motor Traffic and Roads" to the Soviet Economic Ministry of Traffic on 26 September 1950 reveals that there is a total of 8072 road bridges with spans of more than 5 meters and a total length of 163,751 meters, including abutments. \*

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- \* Comment. Records of early 1948 mentioned a total of 8464 bridges, 1,276 of which were destroyed at the end of the war. The figures mentioned in subject report are believed to be correct because the methods used for statistical surveys have improved in the meantime.

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